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FIRST GERMAN LINE BROKEN IN FRANCE

Allies Occupy 20-Mile Stretch Of Coast

VIOLENT BATTLES FLARE UP ON EITHER SIDE OF ORNE RIVER AND CARENTAN

Invasion Forces Continue Landing Operations

NEW YORK, June 7.

The National Broadcasting Company commentator in broadcast from London to-day said that American and British troops have occupied a twenty-mile stretch of the coast and advanced inland to a depth of twelve miles at some points.

The German News Agency D.N.B. said this afternoon that the Allies now have bridgehead about 34 kilometres (about 21 miles) wide and 10 kilometres (6 miles) deep. The German News Agency added that the Allied bridgehead was on either side of the river Urne and west of it.

ASSAULT ON CHANNEL ISLANDS

The News Agency further said today: "Strong Anglo-American airborne troops who yesterday attempted to gain possession of the Channel Islands of Guernsey and Jersey ran into stiff opposition put up by the German garrisons.

South of Cherbourg yesterday an Anglo-American air borne division became involved in heavy combat against German anti-invasion forces.

ATTEMPT TO CROSS CHANNEL

The German Trans-Ocean News Agency announced: "The Allies this morning made an attempt in daylight to across the Straits of Dover in the Pas de Calais region to land troops on the coast from amphibious landing craft.

German naval long-range guns shelled the ships, according to an official Berlin spokesman. The results of this fire could not be observed as the enemy put up a smoke screen. The enemy vessels approached the Dover-Calais Straits from the north.

LONG-RANGE GUNS IN ACTION

For nearly two hours German long-range guns again fired across the Straits of Dover to-day, it is reported in London. Their batteries between Boulogne and Calais opened up before midday. At times salvoes of six and four shells were seen bursting in the Dover area. The shelling was fairly heavy for about 30 minutes. Explosions vibrated along the coast for many miles.

"FEINTS AND DIVERSIONS"

S.H.A.E.F.: In connection with German reports of the repulse of a new Allied attack to-day: "across the Straits of Dover", observers here recall Mr. Churchill's words in the House of Commons some weeks ago when he warned that there would be "many feints and diversions." It is pointed out that the German story gave no indication that actual landing took place, but only referred to an "attempt" during which landing craft approached near the coast and warships bombarded the land.

HEAVY FIGHTING

Supreme Headquarters of the Allied Expeditionary Force said: "There has been heavy fighting in some parts in Northern France between the Allied landing forces and the enemy, Reuter's war correspondent was informed this morning. Heavy fighting has also been encountered on some of the beaches. Heavy fighting occurred on the beaches yesterday. By midday many of the beaches were free of direct German fire.

ALLIES HOLD BRIDGEHEADS

A German 'communique' to-day reported that "the enemy's landing operations on the north coast of Normandy between Le Havre and Cherbourg were supported by strong naval forces through the day. Numerous air borne formations which descended in the rear of our coastal defences had the mission of helping this landing and preventing the Germans from bringing up reserves.

The enemy succeeded in gaining a foothold on land at several points by his amphibious operations. Violent battles against major enemy forces have flared up on either side of he mouth of the Orne and north of Carentan. The enemy has succeeded in holding these bridgeheads.

FURTHER LANDINGS EXPECTED

The Vichy radio stated this morning that the German High Command expects further Allied landings shortly in he Saint Malo region, as well as between estuaries of the Seine and the Somme.

The German controlled Paris radio said this afternoon: "A huge Allied armada comprising some 6,000 vessels including heavy cruisers as escort and a swarm of landing vessels of all types, is reported to be cruising off Contentin (Cherbourg) peninsula. Naval guns of this fleet are engaged in artillery duels with German shore batteries."

LANDINGS CONTINUE

Reuter's Special Correspondent at the Supreme Headquarters of the Allied Expeditionary Force says:—

Heavy fighting is taking place on some of the beaches in northern France. Landings continued to be made throughout yesterday under the protection of strong air and sea cover and satisfactory progress is still being made according to to-day's 'communique' from the Supreme Headquarters of the Allied Expeditionary Force.

An indication of the severity of the fighting in some sectors is that, although the first landings were made in the early morning, it was not until mid-day yesterday that it could be said that some of our beaches were free from direct enemy fire.

But this fact in itself is a measure of the strength of the Allied assault now that a real touchdown has been made the battle is definitely on.

AIR OPPOSITION

Von Rundstedt has at last flung some of his aircraft into action after keeping them hidden away during the early stages. It has done him no good. A continuous and strong air umbrella is still open over the whole of the Allied invasion craft moving across the windswept Channel over the beachhead forces and any forward troops. One surprise attack was made on a bench force yesterday by twelve Junkers 88's. They flew in under cloud trying to strike low. Spitfires went after them, shot down four and chased the rest away.

Vast Allied airborne operations—the biggest ever known—are still being carried no. Information about them is scarce. The Germans themselves are being kept in a constant state of uncertainty about them and until positions have been established and full benefit reaped from the bringing into play of the huge host of transport and glider craft, nothing much is likely to be known about them. The Headquarters today would only reiterate yesterday's statement:—"They are going according to plan".

U-BOAT MENACE

Allied naval defences are likely to be heavily tested now that beach attacks are becoming fairly clearly defined so far as the Germans are concerned. The fact that there has been no interference from German surface craft shows that Allied naval defensive measures have been effective, but there are large numbers of U-Boats in the Bay of Biscay and may be expected to enter the area of operations. U-Boats have kept out of British coastal waters during the past four years because of the danger of air attack. They do not like operating in narrow waters, but this is something that may now have to be reckoned with as Allied naval power is concentrated more and more in support and reinforcement of our invading forces.

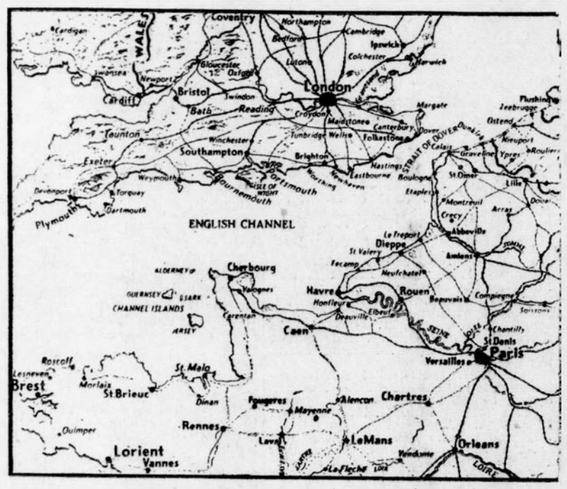
Reuter's correspondent at Southern Command Post, cables:—

First German prisoners and first casualties to reach this port were landed late this afternoon. Prisoners who had been fished out of the Channel after their German craft was sunk by invasion warships were brought in aboard a British light cruiser at 7 p. m. They were immediately herded into a compound to be questioned by intelligence officers. These Nazis who were among the first to feel the sting of the second front straggled along the pier like half-drowned rats. It was clear from the expressions on their faces that they had had enough. In a subtle way they seemed happy to be in the safety of Allied captivity.

FIRST CASUALTIES

The first wounded to be disembarked at this port were soldiers brought back from a French beachhead in a minesweeper. At 5-30 p. m. tank landing craft put in with casualties, including dead. This port has been equipped to handle a tremendous number of casualties if necessary.

There are hospital facilities for 6,000 wounded in the immediate vicinity and at three points there are lines of 75 ambulances ready to dash up the beach. Immense two-ton refrigerators loaded with plasma and blood are deployed in the port area camouflaged under canvas and ready to supply emergency treatment to shock cases and seriously wounded.



ARMOURED ATTACK REPELLED

Invasion Forces Make Steady Advance

S.H.A.E.F., June 7

The Allied invading forces are making progress on their present front in North France. Last night a German armoured counter-attack was repelled in the Caen area.

All the beaches are now reported to be clear of the Germans. Some beaches are linked up with those flanking them. Heavy fighting is now reported to be taking place inland.

German resistance is stiffening as their reserves come into action. A high officer of the S.H.A.E.F. said that Allied landings of stores and troops continue on all beaches.

Early this morning the general impression showed that less had been achieved than had been hoped for. Some troops were falling behind schedule and resistance was strong. But by mid-day to-day, reports which covered the period up to dawn were decidedly more encouraging and showed considerable progress on the whole front.—Reuter.

Allies Break Into German Positions

LONDON, June 7.

A German 'communique' reported that in Italy the Allies have resumed largescale attack west of Rome. "With his superior infantry and tank formations he was able, after grim fighting, to advance on either side of the coastal road and he succeeded in breaking into our positions. North of Rome also the enemy was able to drive a deep breach into our front despite the resistance of our troops. Heavy battles still continue here."

The 'communique' said the Allies continued violent attacks east of Rome and west of Tivoli. The 'communique' added American bombers raided south-eastern Europe causing damage and casualties especially in Ploesti, Kronstadt, Turnu, Severnin and Belgrade.—Reuter.

as it is assumed to mean that German fire positions able to sweep the beaches from some distance inland are now out of range. The same cannot be said, however, of some of the German coastal defences.

FIRST NAZI LINE BROKEN

Opposition from some of these in the early stages of the landings was not so strong as was expected, but, in spite of severe air attacks and bombardment from the sea, some of these are still in operation. The feeling at the Headquarters to-day was that neither optimism nor pessimism could be expressed at the present stage about the Allied offensive. The weather is still unfavourable insomuch as any improvement over yesterday is still slight. A strong wind is still blowing from the northwest.

Commandos and rangers were among the asaulting forces yesterday and so complete is the Allied grip on the sea lanes that any possibility or interference with the Allied landings by German sea forces is now very remote.

This means the first line of German defences—and under German strategy sea forces constitute the outer line—has been broken and probably for good. Our men are now at grips at close quarters and

AIRBORNE TROOPS DO THEIR JOB

LONDON, June 7.

S.H.A.E.F.: Airborne troops have carried out all the tasks allotted to them and their success is one of the most satisfactory points of the operation so far.

The British Information Service in New York reported to-day that the British Sixth Airborne Division has captured bridges north of Caen and is holding them.

S. H. E. A. F.: Three waves of ninth air force gliders towed by 47 cargo planes, followed after a three hour interval by two more waves late last night and this morning, reinforced with airborne infantry and supplies, seized positions in the Cherbourg peninsula. Landing at a predesignated position, the gliders brought into the consolidated areas a steady stream of men, equipment and supplies.

It is understood that over 1,000 R. A. F. heavy bombers were out again last night to continue their task of blasting and burning German military objectives on and near Normandy coast. It is understood bombers provided non-stop air cover over the beaches and meet very little night fighter opposition.

The Air Ministry announced today: "Last night aircraft of the Bomber Command attacked Ludwigshaven and laid mines in enemy waters. None of our aircraft is missing."

Reuter's Special Correspondent at Supreme Headquarters A.E.F. says:—

Allied planes in support of General Montgomery's army yesterday flew an all-time record of more than 13,000 sorties from the first light yesterday to the first light to-day. The United States Eighth Air Force made more than 4,300 sorties, the Ninth Air Force over 4,800 and the Second Tactical Air Force over 2,000. Better weather over the invasion area to-day gives promise of an even mightier air blow in support of the Allied ground forces in northern France. There has been some increase in German air opposition. Twenty-six Fockerwulfs and Messerschmitts which came up at twilight yesterday to try to interfere with the attack by heavy bombers on railway communications and bridges on the general battle area were shot down. Apart from resistance to Allied night bombing raid, another sign of increased Luftwaffe resistance was an attack by twelve Junkers 88's on Allied beach forces. Watchful Spitfires pounced on them, shot four down and put others to flight. No damage was caused by the German planes.

The main weight of the Allied air operations yesterday was directed against railway bridges, choke points and other vital communications which the Germans might use for rushing reinforcements to the battle area. A giant air umbrella over 600 miles square from Havre to Cherbourg was constantly maintained. At least 200 planes were always in the air over this vital area. Targets at Aban Court, Serqueux, and Vire were attacked repeatedly. Light bombers hunted down "thin skinned" vehicles in German motor truck columns and swept down low to shoot them up and bomb them. The performance by the Ninth United States Air Force was described as "staggering".—Reuter.

Starting liberation of Nazi Europe: U. S. troops in full battle equipment set out in landing craft from England's shore.—U.S.O.W.I. Radio-photos.

JAP WITHDRAWAL IN KOHIMA AREA

Fighting Continues North-West Of Bishenpur

KANDY, June 7.

The Japanese are withdrawing rapidly in the Kohima area and Allied troops are advancing, says to-day's S. E. A. C. communique.

Owing to their heavy losses, the Japanese are withdrawing rapidly in Kohima area and our patrols have not been able to keep contact, says to-day's "S.E.A.C." communique.' Our advance troops have occupied the villages of Chakhabama, six miles east of Kohima and Chozumi, 14 miles east. South of Kohima we have taken one of the enemy positions on the Aradura spur.

North-west of Bishenpur, our troops attacked a village held by the enemy and have gained their first objectives Fighting continues.

In the neighbourhood of the Imphal-Ukhrul road an enemy party was successfully ambushed without loss to our side.

At Myitkyina, Allied artillery and aircraft were active, and in the southern sector of the town, our line was slightly advanced. In the southwest, a Japanese attack was driven off. In the Mogaung valley, Chindit troops, after stiff resistance, have occupied Pakhren Sakan, further west, they have advanced to a point three miles north of Lonkin. Round Kamaing, our forces have closed in to within five miles on the west, to Seton in the south, and to Lashi and Tumbongkha in the east.

There is nothing to report from the Arakan Front.

On Pacific Front

Allied headquarters in the south-west Pacific June 7.

American troops advancing towards Mokmer airfield on Biak island off Dutch New Guinea are now within a mile and a half of their objective, states today's "Communique". Gun positions and installations in the Japanese rear were bombed by Allied heavy units. Japanese planes made ineffective air attacks on Allied positions, losing one aircraft.

In Hollandia—Aitape area Allied ground patrols mopping up along the New Guinea coast reported additional 283 Japanese killed and 160 dead from jungle privations. Objectives on Manam and Aris islands were shelled by Allied light naval units.—Reuter.

WASHINGTON: It is stated in Washington political circles that U. S. will come to an agreement with Britain very shortly to give fuller recognition to the French Committee of National Liberation. President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill are understood to be dealing with the question personally. It appears that Roosevelt's Military Advisors now tend to favour recognition of De Gaulle's Committee as the provisional authority for the whole of Liberated French areas.—India Press Service.

Latest Invasion News

LONDON, June 7: The German News Agency announced to-night: "One Allied airborne division has landed on the western coast of Normandy peninsula."

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The German News Agency stated to-night: "German quarters estimate that between two and five more Allied divisions were landed during last night."

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Americans announced to-night that Thunderbolts crews in France bombed a German armoured road convoy of about 75 to 100 vehicles and reported destroying about half.

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Paris radio to-day quoted the head of the Vichy Government, Peirre Laval, saying: "German-French relations are based on the Armistice.

The factual position created by the invasion or by military operations on French soil does not affect this legal position. France can serve her interest best only by closely observing the Armistice."—Reuter.

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STRAITS OF DOVER, June 7: Since 16.00 G.M.T. there has been a big improvement in the weather over the Straits of Dover. Much of the cloud has cleared and later there was sunshine and blue sky with the barometer rising steadily. The northwesterly wind appeared to be moderating a little.

"Gandhi Seva Sena" Invade "Gandhigram"

250 Men And Women Defy Mrs. Naidu And March Into Mahatma's Presence

BOMBAY, Wednesday.

After a dose of medicine for hookworm was administered to Gandhiji, he looked fatigued to-day. Dr. K. T. Gajjar, when asked about the treatment, said that Gandhiji had stood the treatment as well as could be expected.

At a Presss Conference, Mr. Pyarelal, Gandhiji's Secretary, said that there was every need for Gandhiji to conserve his energy.

He further stated in reply to a question that it had been tentatively fixed that Gandhiji would leave for Poona on June 15.

About 250 men and women of 'Gandhi Seva Sena' and the Bombay Provincial Hindi Prachar Sabha saw Gandhiji this afternoon at Gandhi Gram, Juhu.

This large number which was in accordance with the specified figure, gate-crashed into Gandhi Gram, and when once they approached Gandhiji's shack, Gandhiji did not want to disappoint them. So the people stayed with him for nearly half an hour and in reply to questions said that he was feeling weak.

Mrs. Sarojini Naidu who was maintaining guard over Gandhiji's shack, on seeing the crowd issued instructions to volunteers not to allow anyone to see her even. She wanted the press shack to be cleared of all intruders.

The whole compound was cleared of hovering visitors. Those who attend on Gandhiji are keen on seeing that there would be no repetition of to-day's occurrence.

Gandhiji did not take his usual morning walk to-day.

Mr. Gulzarilal Nanda and Mr. Kandubhai Desai of the Ahmedabad Textile Labour Association visited Gandhi Gram to-day.

Bidhan Roy For Bombay

CALCUTTA, June 7

Dr. B. C. Roy left for Bombay today to examine Gandhiji and for consultation with the Mahatma's other doctors.

He will return to Calcutta on the 13th instant.—A. P.

RELEASE CONGRESS LEADERS

LONDON, June 7.

Twenty-eight British authors and journalists have addressed a letter to Mr. Amery, Secretary of State for India, urging the release of Congress leaders.

The letter says: "Recently the editors of 112 newspapers in India addressed a letter to the Viceroy urging that Congress leaders should be liberated in order to enable all Indian parties "to make their contribution towards the ending of the deadlock and the establishment of a representative National Government."

As editors, authors and journalists we desire to associate ourselves with the appeal of our Indian colleagues.

Our satisfaction at the release of Mr. Gandhi would be complete if his comrades were free.

Among the signatories are Vera Brittain, Fenner Brockway, George Catlin, Victor Gollancz, Frank Horrabin, Laurence Housman, Julian Huxley, C. E. M. Joad, Harold Laski, Ethel Mannin and J. B. Priestley.—Reuter.

12 BUILDINGS DEMOLISHED

Bombay, Wednesday.

Twelve unsafe buildings in the area east of the G. I. P. Railway lines were demolished by dynamite on Wednesday evening. As a result several explosions occurred People were prevented by th polic from entering the affected area.

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Hardest Fighting Centre North-East Of Rome: Air Offensive Continues

LONDON, June 7.

Reuter's special correspondent at Advanced Allied Headquarters in Italy cables:—

Hardest fighting is to-day centred north-east of Rome. The Fifth Army is pressing on to maintain contact with the retreating Germans and was yesterday afternoon ten miles north-west of the Capital.

The Germans are striving desperately to slow down the advance by forming small rearguard battlegroups. Prisoners taken by the Fifth Army are now over 18,000.

Allied infantry driving north are within five miles of Lake Bracciano. Patrols west of Rome probed about five miles above the Tiber near the sea coast and the advance in the north-west has extended about ten miles.

The Eighth Army meeting with stronger resistance is continuing generally its northward push through the mountains east of Rome.

To-day's 'communique reads: "Troops of the Fifth Army who have crossed the Tiber have encountered thus far only light resistance to their advance and have now fanned out about ten miles from Rome. The hardest fighting is now centred north-east of Rome, where troops of the Eighth Army are still in contact with the enemy, who is offering strong resistance. Some progress has been made in difficult country despite heavy demolitions and minefields which have been encountered.

PLOESTI OIL REFINERIES ATTACKED

Strong forces of heavy bombers yesterday attacked oil refineries in the Ploesti area, as well as railyard at Brasov and Ploesti in Rumania and Belgrade in Yugoslavia. Other formations struck at the Iron Gate Canal at Turnu Severin in Rumania. Tactical aircraft attacked highways, bridges, rail lines, motor transport and ammunition dumps to the rear of the enemy forces in the area north and north-east of Rome.

Fighter bombers also attacked objectives along west coast in Central Italy and Yugoslavia. In these operations 34 enemy aircraft were destroyed while 16 of our heavy bombers and 17 other aircraft are missing. No enemy aircraft were observed or encountered over the battle area during daylight hours yesterday. The M.A.A.F. flew over 2,300 sorties. Last night our bombers attacked objectives north of Rome."—Reuter.

Badoglio Resigns But Amgot Asks Him To Reform Govt.

Reuter's special correspondent at Allied Headquarters in Italy, cables:

Prince Umberto, Italian Lt.-Gen., to-day accepted the resignation of Badoglio Government and immediately instructed Marshal Badoglio to form a new Government including leaders now in liberated Rome. The present Cabinet is remaining in office until a new Ministry is constituted.—Reuter.

First Step To International Monetary Arrangement

A. D. Shroff's Plea For Orderly Liquidation Of Sterling Balances

BOMBAY, June 7

The view that India is greatly exercised on the question of arriving at a satisfactory arrangement with His Majesty's Government for an orderly liquidation of our Sterling Balances at an early date and that the Indian Delegation to the International Monetary Conference will miss no opportunity of pressing this point of view is expressed by Mr. A. D. Shroff, a member of the Indian Delegation to the Conference, interviewed by the 'Associated Press.'

Mr. Shroff added: "The question that obviously agitates India most is what is going to happen to the rapidly accumulating Sterling Balances in London In the agreed statement of principles which will be the basis for discussion at the Conference, the question of abnormal war balances has now been omitted whereas both in the Keyenes' and White Plans this question occupied a prominent place. As pointed out by the Acting Finance Member recently in Delhi the Indian Delegation will be free to raise this issue at the Conference. This news appears to have upset some of the London Financial journals. Their annoyance appears to be incomprehensible to India.

Those of us in India who have seriously applied their minds to the study of this question feel convinced that unless a satisfactory arrangement is reached between India and his Majesty's Government regarding an orderly liquidation of the Sterling Balances at an early date no scheme of International Monetary arrangement can be a mater of supreme interest to us.

I have no doubt in my mind that the Government of India are fully apprised of the fact that representative commercial Indian opinion feels very strongly on this question and that the Indian delegation will miss no opportunity of pressing this point of view on the suitable occasion.

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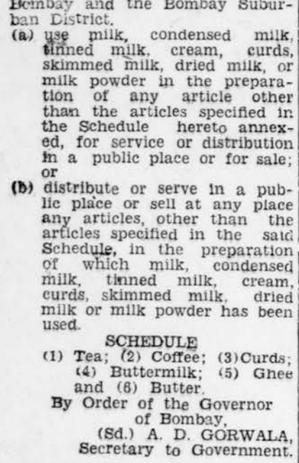

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The Bombay Chronicle

BASIS OF THE PLAN

There has been a tendency in some quarters to read a helpful political move into the appointment of Sir Ardeshir Dalal as member for Post-War Reconstruction. Because Sir Ardeshir is one of the authors of the Bombay Plan and the working out of that plan presupposes the establishmnet of a National Government, it is inferred by the optimists that his appointment may be the precursor of the speedy formation of such a Government. But Sir Ardeshir's own statement on his appointment discourages such expectation. He doubtless points out that to carry out the Bombay Plan fully a National Government is necessary, "as the plan implies an amount of regimentation, control and interference with the traditions and habits of the people which only a National Government backed by the goodwill and support of the people can undertake." But he adds "there is a considerable amount of preliminary work to be undertaken" and all this work "has to be done by the existing Government", though this may "pave the way for the National Government, if and when it comes into power." These remarks, particularly the words "if and when it comes into power" make it clear that he at least does not share the illusion that his appointment is the first step towards the early formation of a National Government.

Sir Ardeshir, however, has an illusion of his own. He believes that "the objectives of the Bombay Plan, namely, the raising of the standard of living of the people have been accepted by the Government of India." Now, in a general sense every Government professes at all times to aim at raising the standard of living of the people. But the seriousness of the aim is to be judged by the methods adopted to attain it and the results actually achieved. The prevailing conditons in the country are hardly indicative of increasing well-being. Nay, we shall go further and say that the present Government of India seems incapable of achieving what it is supposed to aim at. Under it things are getting from bad to worse economically as well as politically.

Judged by its context, Sir Ardeshir's appointment seems to be only a sop to the industrialists who expect big things. When the big things do not materialise, he may be persuaded to say what he has already hinted at, that much preliminary work has got to be gone through first. He may be made a scape-goat for the inevitable failure of a Government which is responsible to the British Government rather than to the Indian people. If Sir Ardeshir does not wish the Bombay Plan to be toyed with, if he wishes it to be given a serious trial, with such modifications as public opinion may demand, he has no alternative but to insist on a National Government as the best preliminary work and the very basis for the success of the Plan.

FRANKLY SPEAKING

Churchill's Hint

The initial landings in northern France are officially claimed to have been successful. But it is too early yet to form any opinion as to the speed, extent and momentum of success in the immediate future. The weather is taking a hand against the invaders, but that is not really the main Allied worry. The main problem is that of German resistance. In this connection the most important news since the launching of the invasion is as Reuter's point out, a hint by Mr. Churchill that the present operation is only the first of a series and that subsequent landings may not necessarily fall on France. It is obvious that one bridgehead alone will not break the Atlantic Wall, however important it may be. The wall will have to be breached at other points, too, and, quite possibly, far apart from one another. But where and in what strength it is not possible to guess. Both sides must be waiting each wanting the other to show its hand.

Portugal Lines Up

With the turn in the tide of the war it was only natural for the neutral to consent to accommodate the Allies. For their victory is assured. The Portuguese ban on the export of such a vital war material as wolfram to Germany does not, therefore, come as anything particularly noteworthy. In fact, what is noteworthy is that it should have come so late, since it will be recalled that Portugal virtually surrendered the Azores to America and Britain a good many months ago. With the Portuguese, there are now left only two neutrals who trade with Germany to her military advantage, Sweden and Spain. As to Sweden it can be very easily argued that cut off from the Allies she is more or less at the mercy of Germany. But what can excuse Spain which, moreover, has been receiving the greatest amount of economic and financial assistance from the Allies? And yet Franco's Spain has consistently been an avowed opponent of democracy and a friend of German Nazism and Italian Fascism! Instead of being treated as she should Franco's Spain, however, is actually the recipient of bouquets from Mr. Winston Churchill. Is it an unnatural paradox or a natural development in Britain's war of democracy, righteousness and so on?

Badoglio Stays

As a mere formality, Marshal Badoglio handed his resignation to Prince Umberto and was inevitably asked to form a new Government. It was, of course, not expected, that the Marshal would follow his Royal Master King Victor Emmanuel into retirement. But it is disappointing that he should continue in office as Italy's Prime Minister with or without non-and anti-Fascist leaders. Marshal Badoglio, it cannot be emphasised too often, is not a democrat and has been responsible for many acts of aggression which Allied powers have condemned and do condemn even now. He is as undeserving of office as King Victor Emmanuel of kingship and for identical reasons. He ought to have gone with the king.

NATAL PRESS ON DURBAN ORDINANCE

(From Our Correspondent)
DURBAN, June 5.

The Natal "Daily News" writes on the Occupation Ordinance: "It has become an obvious and rather an unhappy compromise. The more closer it is examined, the clearer it becomes that Senator Clarkson's claim that it solves the Indian question for all time is far from well founded.

It is undoubtedly a step forward from the existing deadlock and must have been of valuable assistance to General Smuts at the Imperial Conference. No good purpose is served by pretending that it offers a permanent solution.

The European demand to know whether Durban is to be kept European is left unanswered. The problem of the housing of impoverished Indian masses has not been touched."

"The Natal Witness" writes: The campaign of opposition waged against the Ordinance is one of sheer prejudice. The "pegging" act was one of the worst blotches of the statute book of any British country. It places a stigma both on those who passed it and on those whom it affects. We can see no reason for objection to it by Europeans."

CALCUTTA FOOTBALL

CALCUTTA, June 7: Mohammedan Sporting beat B. and A. Railway by two goals to nil in the only match played to-day in the First Division of the Calcutta Football League.—A. P.

Birthday Honours

K. C. S. I. For Knight: Bristow Knighted

MUDIE AND HYDARI GET K.C.I.E., K.B.E. FOR SIR P. THAKURDAS: C.I.E. FOR BUTLER & MCKENZIE: FARUQUI GETS O.B.E.

Two Advisers to the Governor of Bombay, a business magnate, the Police Chief and an educationist figure among Bombay recipients of the King's Birthday Honours that is just published.

K.C.S.I. has been awarded to Mr. H. F. Knight and Mr. C. H. Bristow has been Knighted, Mr. R. F. Mudie and Mr. M. S. A. Hydari get K.C.I.E,

Sir Purshottamdas Thakurdas becomes K.B.E. and Nasir Ahmed Faruqui, Collector of Bombay and Bombay Suburban Dt., gets O.B.E.

C.I.E. has been awarded among others to Mr. H. E. Butler, Commissioner of Police, Bombay Rev. John McKenzie, Principal Wilson College, Bombay, Mr. M. K. Vellodi, Textile Commissioner to the Government of India and Mr. A. H. Bokhari, Director-General of the All-India Radio.

NEW DELHI, June 6
KAISER-I-HIND GOLD MEDAL

Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal is awarded among others to:—

Ann Lady Dow (wife of H. E. Sir Hugh Dow, Governor of Sind).

Miss Esther Brigham Fowler, Senior Missionary, American Marathi Mission, Sholapur.

K.-I.-H. SILVER MEDAL

Kaisar-i-Hind Silver Medal is awarded among others to:—

Miss Wilhelmina Cracknell, Medical Missionary Methodist Mission Hospital, Nadiad, Kaira District. Miss Frances Elizabeth Muriel Gregory, Lady Supdt. St. George's Hospital Nursing Assn., Bombay.

K.-I.-H. BRONZE MEDAL

Kaiser-i-Hind Bronze Medal awarded among others to:—

Edith Muriel Mrs. Gill Mairun, G. I. P. Rly., Hospital, Bombay.

Elizabeth Mrs. Lavender (wife of Lt.-Col. S. S. Lavender), Chairman Poona and Kirkee Red Cross Depot.

Honour Mrs. Nunn (wife of Brigadier R. N. Nunn), President, Poona and Kirkee War Charities Assn., Bombay.

Panchawwabai Mrs. Sirdar (wife of Mr. Madiwaleshwar Shiwashankar Sirdar, Dy. Leader, N.W.F., Sholapur.

Gladys Mrs. Smith (wife of Mr. H. W. Smith).

Mabel Ellen Mrs. Stephens (wife of Lt. G. R. T. Stephens, R.I.A.S.C. (Retd.), Vice-Chairman, Lady Lumley Canteen for Troops, Poona.

Margaret Ann Elizabeth Mrs. Trollip (wife of Mr. A. S. Trollip.

DEWAN BAHADUR

Dewan Bahadur is conferred upon among others:—

Rao Bahadur N. M. Jhaveri, Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Surat.

Khan Bahadur Y. Abdul Momin, Member, Bombay Legislative Assembly, Landlord, Islampur, Satara Dist.

Sardar Rao Bahadur S. J. Deshmukh, Inamdar and Landlord, President, Dist. Local Board, Bijapur.

Khan Sahib Ismail Rasul Gandhi, Village Vahorwad, Nadiad Tal., Kaira Dist.

Khan Sahib M. D. Sarguro, Landholder, Dapoli, Ratnagiri Dist.

Khan Sahib M. G. Khudavand, Landholder, Navalgund, Dharwar Dist.

The following Birth Day Honours have been gazetted:—

K. C. S. I.

Mr. H. F. Knight Adviser to H.E. the Governor of Bombay.

C. S. I.

Mr. Y. A. Godbole, Adviser to H. E. the Governor of Bihar, Mr. H. S. Eaton-Stevens, Food and Civil Supplies Commissioner, Bengal.

Colonel (temporary Major General) W. C. Holden, Deputy Chief of the General Staff, General Headquarters, India.

Mr. C. G. Herbert, Resident at Gwalior and for the States of Rampur and Benares (on leave).

C. I. E.

Major His Highness the Nawab of Rampur.

K. C. I. E.

Mr. R. F. Mudie, lately Acting Governor of Bihar.

The Hon. Mr. C. E. Jones, temporary member of the Governor-General's Executive Council and lately, secretary to the Government of India in the Finance Department.

The Hon. Lt. Col. G. V. Baerle Gillapn, Resident for Rajputana.

Lieut. General W. H. Goldney Baker, lately Adjutant General in India.

Lieut. General T. J. Hutton, Secretary, War Resources and Reconstruction Committees of Council, Government of India (on leave).

The Hon. Mr. M. S. A. Hydari, Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Civil Supplies.

Mr. J. D. Anderson Financial Commissioner, Revenue and Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Punjab.

C. I. E.

Mr. M. K. Vellodi, Textile Commissioner and ex-officio Joint Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Civil Supplies.

Mr. P. N. Thaper Esq., Joint Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Information and Broadcasting.

Lieut.-Col. R. R. Burnett, Joint Secretary to the Government of India in the External Affairs Department.

Col. (Temporary Major-General) Fred Buckley, Indian Army Commander, Waziristan District.

Mr. H. M. Mathews, Electrical Commissioner with the Government of India.

Lieut.-Col. C. G. Niven Edwards, resident for Kolhapur and the Deccan States.

Mr. Edward Owen Lee Commissioner Bhagalpur Division, Bhagalpur, Bihar.

Mr. F. F. Haigh, Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government P. W. D. Irrigation Branch Punjab.

Mr. C. F. V. Williams, Secretary to the Government of Madras Home Department.

Mr. Ali Ahmed, Chief Engineer P. W. D. and Secretary to the Government of Assam.

Mr. W. G. Came, Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government, P. W. D., Bihar.

Mr. E. W. Holland, Secretary Public Health and Local Self-Government Department Bengal.

Mr. Sukumar Basu, Secretary to the Government of Bengal Department of Agriculture (on leave) and lately Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Education, Health and Lands.

Mr. H. A. Reid, Chief Mechanical Engineer, South Indian Railway.

Mr. P. K. Wattal, Accountant General Punjab.

Capt. J. N. Metcalfe, Director of Equipment, Naval Headquarters.

Mr. Ahmed Shah Bokhari, Director-General, All-India Radio.

Lieut.-Col. (Local Colonel) G. C. Strahan, Recruiting Officer for Gurkhas Kunraghat.

Major F. J. Salberg, Engineer, Dibru Sadiya Railway and lately Chief Engineer, Assam Bengal Railway.

Mr. S. T. H. Munsey, Chief Engineer to Government, P.W.D. Irrigation Branch, United Provinces.

H. E. Butler, Commissioner of Police, Bombay.

Mr. E. H. Chave, Chief Engineer P. W. D. (General buildings and A. R. P. M.) Madras.

Captain (Commodore) C. F. Hammill, Senior Naval Officer, Persian Gulf Division.

Mr. Mahabir Prasad, Additional Chief Engineer to Government, U. P.

Mr. Ram Gopal, Chief Controller of Supply Accounts, New Delhi.

Mr. H. L. Davis, Nautical Adviser to the Government of India and Additional Controller of Indian Shipping.

Khan Bahadur Muhammad Azimatullah Khan Sahib Bahadur, Collector and District Magistrate (Retired) Madras.

Mr. F. W. O'Gorman, Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Criminal Investigation Department, Bombay.

Syed Amjad Ali, Member, Punjab Legislative Assembly, Lahore, Punjab.

Mr. G. R. Henniker-Gotley, Conservator of Forests, N.W.F.P.

Mr. R. G. Manson, Deputy General Manager Bengal and Assam Railway Bengal.

Lieut.-Col. H. E. Murray, Professor of Midwifery, Medical College and Superintendent, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta Bengal.

Mr. I. E. Jones, Director of Food Purchases and Deputy Secretary to Government Punjab (Supplies) and lately Registrar Co-operative Societies Lahore, Punjab.

Mr. R. J. M. Inglis, Divisional General Manager, London, North-Eastern Railway.

The Rev. John McKenzie, principal Wilson College, Bombay.

KNIGHTHOOD

Knighthood has been conferred on:—

The Hon. Mr. Justice M. D. Shanker Niyogi, Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Nagpur, Central Provinces and Berar.

Mr. C. H. Bristow, Adviser to H. E. the Governor of Bombay, Mr. H. C. Greenfield, Adviser to H. E. the Governor of the Central Provinces and Berar.

Mr. Lakshmipati Misra, Member, Engineering Railway Board, Government of India.

The Hon. Sardar Bahadur Sardar Sobha Singh, Member of the Council of State, Delhi

The Hon. Mr. John Henry Burder Member of the Council of State, Senior Partner, Messrs Jardine Skinner and Co., President, Bengal Chamber of Commerce and Associated Chambers of Commerce India.

Mr. Keith Canille, Member, Assam Revenue Tribunal, Assam.

Rai Bahadur Seth Bhagchand Soni, Member, Legislative Assembly (Central).

Mr. D. N. Mitra, Solicitor to the Government of India.

Mr. C. E. S. Fairweather, Commissioner of Police (retired) Calcutta, Bengal.

Mr. G. G. Armstrong, Charman Madras Port Trust, Madras.

Mr. Gangaram Kaula, Mushir-i-Khas Jind State.

Diwan Bahadur Madura Balasundaram Nayudu, Merchant, Madras and Mr. James Nuttall, Director, Messsrs. Binny and Company (Madras) Limited, Madras.

K. B. E.

Sir Purshottamdas Thakurdas Chairman, East India Cotton Association, Bombay.

C. B. E.

Mr. B. J. Kirchner, lately Chief Press Adviser, Department of Information and Broadcasting, Government of India.

Mr. J. B. Grant, Director, All India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health, Calcutta.

Raja Prithi Chand Lal Chaudhuri, Zamindar, Purnea, Bihar.

Mr. Earnest James Nichols, Senior Partner in the Firm of Messrs. Williamson Magor and Co., Calcutta.

Mr. V. C. Wright, Chairman, War Risks Insurance Advisory Committee Bombay.

O. B. E.

Mr. S. E. Abbott, Secretary to the Premier Punjab.

Mr. W. G. Alcock, Liaison Officer and Secretary to the General Manager, G.I.P. Railway, Bombay.

Mr. G. A. Anderson, Deputy Director, General of Police, Criminal Investigation Department, H.E.H. the Nizam's Government, Hyderabad (Deccan).

Lieut. Col. C. R. Cooke, Director, Line Construction, Posts and Telegraphs, New Delhi.

Mr. Nasir Ahmad Faruqi, Collector of Bombay and Bombay Suburban District.

Mr. P. V. Gaekwar, Accountant General, Baroda.

Captain J. B. Howes Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the External Affairs, Department and lately His Majesty's Consul, Bushire.

Mr. J. B. Langford, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Supply.

Mr. W. M. Martin, Manager, Wolverhampton Works Co., Ltd., Bombay.

Mr. A. Patterson, Chief Engineer, and Manager, Bombay Suburban Electric Supply Ltd. Bandra, Bombay.

Mr. B. S. Puri, Superintending Engineer, Central Public Works Department Government of India.

Mr. J. V. Quinlan General Manager, Canteen Stores Department, Bombay.

Mr. Jnanendranath Ray, Director of Drugs and Dressings Medical Division Department of Supply Government of India.

Mr. P. Ridley, Deputy Port Officer (pilotage) Mercantile Marine, Department of Commerce, Government of India.

Mr. John Burt Shearer, Commissioner of Income Tax, Bombay.

Mr. N. Sundaresan, Deputy Secretary, to the Government of India in the Finance Department.

The Hon. Sayed Miran Muhammad Shah Zainulabdin Shah, Speaker of the Sind Legislative Assembly Sind.

BRITISH EMPIRE MEDAL

British Empire Medal (Civil Division) awarded among others to:

Mr. M. V. Divekar, Range Furest, Officer, Nagargali Range, Belgaum Division, Bombay.

(IMPERIAL SERVICE ORDER)

Mr. E. B. Patell, Senior Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bombay, General and Educational Department, Secretariat, Bombay.

Imperial Service Medal awarded among others to:—

K. L. Bhangaonkar, Muccadum (retired) Rolling and Cutting Department, His Majesty's Mint, Bombay.

Mr. M. G. Bhosale, Officiating Senior Subedar (retired), Nasik Road Central Prison, Bombay.

(HONORARY K.C.S.I.)

His Highness Maharaja Sir Jigme Wangchuk, Maharaja of Bhutan.

(HONORARY C.I.E.)

Raja Sunam Tobgie Durji, Deb Zimpon of Bhutan and Assistant for Bhutan to the Political Officer in Sikkim.

(M.B.E.)

Susan Mrs. De Mierre, Civilian Deputy Assistant Censor, Bombay Censor Station.

Helen Margaret Mrs. Gebbett Civilian Deputy Assistant Censor, Bombay Censor Station.

Cecily Elizabeth Arnod Mrs. Labouch Ardiere (wife of Mr. M. P. Labouchardiere), Bombay.

Mr. J. D. Condie, lately Supervising Engineer in charge of Construction of the Polish Refugee Camp, Kolhapur.

Mr. T. L. Crosthwait, Assistant Collector, Satara, Bombay and lately Assistant Private Secretary to H. E. the Viceroy.

Mr. H. E. Potter, Assistant, Messrs. Richardson and Cruddas Engineers, Byculla, Bombay.

Mr. M. R. Reuben, Food Grain Rationing Officer, Poona, Bombay.

Mr. L. E. Walsh, Deputy Docks Manager Officer on Special Duty, Bombay Port Trust, Bombay.

RAO BAHADUR

His Excellency the Viceroy has conferred the title of Rao Bahadur as a personal distinction upon the following among others:

Mr. V. R. Mangalvedhekar, Judge (retired) Court of Small Causes, Poona, Bombay.

Rao Sahib A. S. Barot, Medical Practitioner, Dohad, Broach and Panch Mahals District, Bombay.

Rao Sahib G. B. Mahankal, Superintendent of Police, Bombay City.

Mr. S. P. Pandya, Divisional Forest Officer, Kolaba Division, Bombay.

Mr. R. D. Parekh, Executive Engineer, P.W.D., Kaira and Panch Mahals Divisions, Bombay.

Rao Sahib Venkatesh Vishnu Yargop Diwan of Miraj (Junior) State.

Mr. V. N. Paranjpe, Senior Signal Engineer, B. B. & C. I. Railway, Bombay.

Rao Sahib J. G. Trivedi, Deputy Post-master-General (officiating) Bombay Circle.

KHAN SAHIBS

His Excellency the Viceroy has conferred the title of Khan Sahib as a personal distinction upon:—

Mr. Abdul Rahiman Sajankhan Bagwan, Agriculturist, Saswad, Purandhar Taluka, Poona District, Bombay; Mr. Rasulkhan Rahimkhan Pathan, Landlord and Wholesale Cycle Dealer, Nasik City, Bombay; Mr. Parviz Rustamji Kothawala, Honorary A.R.P. Officer (Transport) and Managing Director, Silver Jubilee Motors, Limited, Poona, Bombay; Mr. Mirza Ismaiel Baig, Superintendent, Watch and Ward, "The Times of India", Bombay; Mr. Umarsaheb Buransaheb Inamdar, Nandurbar, West Khandesh District, Bombay; Mr. Khursetji Merwanji Kharegat, Planning Engineer, Bombay Electric Supply and Tramways Company, Limited, Bombay.

RAO SAHIBS

Mr. D. L. Rajadhyax, Assistant Registrar, Police Courts, Bombay; Mr. J. M. Patel, Revenue Patel, Halol Broach and Panch Mahals District, Bombay; Mr. M. G. Parikh, Landholder, Napa Talpad, Borsad Taluka, Kaira District, Bombay; Mr. Bapurao R. Borawake, Landlord, Kopargaon, Ahmednagar District, Bombay; Mr. Abasaheb K. Patil, Vice-President, District Local Board, Ahmednagar, Bombay; Mr. G. K. Naik, Landlord, Poona, Bombay; Hon. Lieutenant A. H. Khardekar Ashta, Walwa Taluka, Satara District, Bombay; Mr. C. B. Kurwatti, Mamlatdar of Gadag, Dharwar Dt., Bombay; Mr. A. R. Pai, President Kumta Municipality, Kumta, Kanara Dt., Bombay; Mr. N. A. Mutalik-Desai, Kowjalgi, Gokak Taluka, Belgaum District, Bombay; Mr. N. M. Kale, Principal, Maharashtra High School, Lower Parel, Bombay.

MAYOR'S FUND FOR KASTURBA MEMORIAL

CALCUTTA, June 1.

The Calcutta Corporation at a meeting to-day decided to open a Mayor's Fund for raising contributions in Calcutta towards the Kasturba Memorial Fund already opened in Bombay.—A. P.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

Pierre Laval broadcasting from the Paris radio, told Frenchmen: "You must not take part in the operations on French soil; otherwise reprisals will be taken by the Germans and the French Government will be powerless to help you. The French Government stands by the Armistice of 1940 and appeals to Frenchmen to honour their country's signature.

—Reuter.

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A British fellow-student of Mahatma Gandhi, Mr. Josiah Oldfield says: "To me the loss of Mr. Gandhi as a loyal son of he British Empire is very much on a par with the loss of Wesley to the Anglican Church, each being driven out of the fold by the fault of leaders within it."

The resentment of Messrs. Churchill and Amery at this criticism will, we are sure, be dominated by a full appreciation of the fact that the British Empire is accepted to be nearly as sacred an institution as the Anglican Church.

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In his specially composed prayer to Almighty God, President Roosevelt says:—

(1) "These are men lately drawn from the ways of peace. They fight not for lust of conquest. They fight to liberate. They fight to let justice arise and tolerance and goodwill live among all Thy people", and

(2) "Help us conquer the apostles of greed and racial arrogances. Lead us...into a world unity that will spell sure peace....And peace that will let all men live in freedom.."

It is a fervent prayer which deserves response. But before granting it, the Almighty had better approach the U. S. President—AND the British Premier—to make sure what exactly is meant by "all Thy people" and "all men." A mistake by God may possibly provoke a severe frown if nothing else.

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The Special Correspondent of the A.P.I. in Rome says that in the drive to Rome "Indian troops have played a significant part" and indeed, "the toughest assignments have always been given them and they have proved their mettle."

All this is imaginary myth and piffle. We all now know from President Roosevelt's broadcast that no Indian troops have participated in the fighting in Italy.

In the alternative, the correspondent's despatch constitutes a flat contradiction of, therefore, an impertinent sunb to the U. S. President. It is thus a grave, utterly inexcusable international crime which must produce a global shock.

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Discussing the result of the Irish general election, the London "Daily Telegraph" admits that the policy of neutrality is overwhelmingly popular in Eire and that "that is an issue on which all parties are agreed and evidently the Irish people feel that Mr. de Valera is the safest man to be entrusted with its execution."

Curious Reuters didn't send us such reactions from their own proprietors. Or is it?

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A Washington comment via USOWI on the invasion of western Europe opens thus: "The Allied armies of liberation are entering Europe over a carpet of bombs systematically laid during the last five years."

And what a carpet!

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It is reported from Washington that the Polish Premier, M. Stanslaw Mikolajczyk, has taken with him to President Roosevelt a plan to include East Prussia and Silesia in Poland "for the sake of security."

This offers a good pattern for the solution of the Russo-Polish problem For, we are sure, M. Mikolapqrxyz will now gladly consent to the Russian occupation of East "Poland", of course, for the sake of security.

Kasturba Gandhi National Memorial Fund

Donations received by the Bombay Committee upto 6th June are as follows:

As per list No. 3 dated 2nd June 1944 Rs. 97,373; Raibahadur Bansil Abirchand Kasturchand Rs. 5,000; Bombay Motor Merchants' Association Ltd., (2nd Inst.) Rs. 1,121; Shree Mahajan Association Ltd. Rs. 1,000; Messrs. Vasanji Lalji & Sons Rs. 501; Sjt. Ramchand Rajaji Rs. 251; Sjt. Narayanlal Bansilal Rs. 250; Sjt. Gumanmal Arjandas Rs. 225; Conveners' Meeting. (To Mourn the death of Kasturba, thro' Mr. B. V. Mody Rs. 108; Indian Cotton Oil Mills Rs. 101; Sjt. G. C. Agarwala Rs. 101; Sjt. R. K. Karanjia Rs. 101; Messrs. Diamond Surgical Dressing Works Rs. 101; Sjt. Harishanker Shivlal Gandhi Rs. 101; Anonymous Rs. 100; Messrs. Kishor Natverlal & Co. Rs. 51; Messrs. Eastern Commercial Trading Co. Rs. 51; Sjt. Natverlal Manmohandas Shah Rs. 51; Messrs. Piare Akbarali & Sons Rs. 51; Sjt. Vadilal H. H. Barodia Rs. 51; Messrs. Excelsior Electric & Co Rs. 51; Meghwal Sahayak Sangh Rs. 34; A. Parsee Gentleman Rs. 30; Residents of Shanker Lane (Kandiwali) Rs. 26; Sjt. H. L. Chopra 25; Sjt. Vasanji Pitamber Tarwala Rs. 25; Sjt. Gangadas Motilal Rs. 25; Donations under Rs. 25, Rs. 154. Total Rs. 1,07,149.

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To-day

Hindu: Jeth Vad 2, 2000
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Parsi: Deh 8, 1313
Sunrise: 7-1 a.m., Sunset 8-13 p.m.
Hightide: 1-20 14-20, Lowtide 7-27, 20-23

To-day's Engagements

UNITED LODGE OF THEOSOPHISTS:—(Matunga): Study Class on the "THREE CLASSES OF KARMA" at 8-15 p.m. today (Thursday) at Putlia House, Bhaudaji Road, Matunga.

DR. EDAL BEHRAM'S LECTURE:—On Catching Cold, its dangers prevention and Cure at Mazdaznan Hall, opp. Churchgate Station, today (Thursday) at 6-15 p.m.

RADICAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY:—Public lecture by Mr. M. N. Roy on "Planning For India" at the Marwari Vidyalaya Hall, Girgaum, Sandhurst Rd. at 7 p.m. today (Thursday).

"BOMBAY KANNADA SANGA": Flute Performance by Mr. N. R. Krishnamurthy of Mysore with suitable accompaniments at 8-15 p.m. today (Thursday) at Gujerati Young Men's Club (Near Aurora Cinema).

PEOPLE'S PROVINCIAL FOOD COUNCIL:

The Secretary of the Council writes:

"A Conference to consider the acute scarcity of Protective Foods in the City and Province of Bombay and the taking of necessary measures will meet to-day (Thursday) at 6 p.m. at Blavatsky Lodge, French Bridge. Sir Homi Mody will preside. The Conference is convened by the People's Provincial Food Council, the Bombay Presidency Women's Council, Medical Associations in the City and Province and thirty other associations interested in food and health problems. Among the speakers will be Mrs. Kamaladevi Chattopadhya, Lady Rama Rao, Mr M R Masani, Mr F I Rahimtoola, Dr R N Cooper, Dr H V Tilak, Dr K S Mhaskar and Mr M M Killedar. Members of the public are welcome to attend the Conference as visitors, but participation in the proceedings will be limited to representatives of the participating organisations."

GOVT. PAPER
Bombay, Wednesday.
3-1/2 per cent Government paper was quoted at Rs. 99-4-6 sellers.

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA
Bombay, June 7.

An Account pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, for the week ended the 2nd day of June 1944

Issue Department.

LIABILITIES	Rs.	Rs.
Notes held in the Banking Department		9,17,79,000
Notes in circulation		917,01,21,000
Total Notes issued		926,19,00,000
Total Liabilities		926,19,00,000
ASSETS	Rs.	Rs.
A. Gold Coin and Bullion:—		
(a) Held in India	44,41,43,000	
(b) Held outside India	...	
Sterling Securities	809,83,96,000	
Total of A		854,25,39,000
B. Rupee Coin		13,60,90,000
Government of India Rupee Securities		58,32,71,000
Internal Bills of Exchange and other commercial Paper		...
Total Assets		926,19,00,000

Ratio of Total of A to Liabilities: 92.233 per cent.

BENGAL TREASURY BILLS

Tenders for Rs. 1,50,00,000—(Rupees one crore fifty lankhs only) of three months' Government of Bengal Treasury Bills will be received at the Offices of the Reserve Bank of India, Bombay and Calcutta up to 11 a.m. on Thursday the 15th inst.

HAPUR MARKET QUOTATIONS
Hapur, June 7.

Wheat 10 arrivals 1,000 mds. Grom 8/4 Barley 6/10 Peas 7/6 arrivals 700 mds. Stock 129 Khattis. Arhar 7/8 Rapseed 12/10 Gur 5/12 to 4/12. Guwar Bhadon 6/13/6. Moong Bhadon 9/11 Mohar 10/10/3. Urad Asar 11/2/9 Maha 11/8/3. Bardana Asuj 54/12. Boong Jeth Settled at Rs. 9/6/3 Bardana Jeth Settled at Rs. 54 Guwar Jeth settled of Rs. 6/8/6.

ASSAM TREASURY BILLS

Tenders for Rs. 1,50,00,000—(Rupees one crore fifty lakhs only) of three months' Government of Assam Treasury Bills were opened on Wednesday the 7th June 1944. Total amount offered was Rs. 3,00,00,000 (Rupees three crores only).

Tenders at Rs. 99-14-0 were accepted in full. Lower tenders were rejected. Total amount accepted was Rs. 1,50,00,000—(Rupees one crore fifty lakhs only) the average rate of accepted tenders being Re. 0-8-0 per cent per annum.

The Half-Column By "Dim"

There is some speculation about Eisenhower's choice of "D" to name the day of the opening of the Second Front. What does D stand for? The following suggestions are offered:

D for Deliverance.
Dunkirk Avenged.
Delayed Action.
Don't Turn Back.
De Gaulle.
Der Tag.
Down with the Hun.
Deutchland.
Dwight Eisenhower.
"Damn It." (Col. Blimp)
or Darshan?

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Beverley Nichol's new book is not to be called HEIL HINDU! after all. The title is VERDICT ON INDIA and the book will be published in India by Thackers. It will presumably take time before the book is out—in the meantime we will anxiously await Nichol's verdict on India.

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Showing at the Eros this week is the brilliant MARCH OF TIME entitled "Inside Fascist Spain". The more I see and read of the work of Henry Luce and his associates the more I feel that these are the real fighters for democracy in the press and on the screen. Unafraid this band of men has marched on to present the news of the world to the free peoples of the world. They do not flinch from the goal they have set before them. Their success is the most hopeful portent of our times. Information Films of India may see this "March of Time" and learn something to their advantage.

CITY MARKETS

Bombay, June 7.

SHARES: The local Share Bazar was quietly steady with a moderate business. Tata Steel Shares remain favourite among speculative operators and their buying and selling is mainly responsible for quick fluctuations. It appears at present there is more disposition to realise profits in Dfd.

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE

Bombay, June 7.

Tata Steel Ord (415/8) 415 17 16 16/8 15 16 15/8 16
T S Dfds (2241/4) 2235 27 50 60 52 40 42 35 42 46 40 45 42 35 37/8 41/4
Dyeing (1906/4) 1905 7/8 3/12 6/4 10 5 2/8 5 8/12 13/12 12/8 7/8 10 15
Kohinoor (637) 625 36 38 36 35 36 37 38 37
Swadesh (551) 551 50 51 49 51 50 51
Nagpur (418/8) 419 19/8 18/8 18 21/8 20 20/8
Simplex (256) 255 55/8 54 55 56 55
New Great (386) 385 84 85 84
Indore (802/8) 807 2/8 12/8 30 32/8
Scindia (35/15) 35/12 35/10 36 35/14
Construction (225) 226 31 34 29/8 33 30/8 32
Cement (235) 234/8 35 34/4 34/8

Shares around Rs. 2,275 level. To-day Dfd.s. opened at Rs. 2,230 and advanced to Rs. 2,260 but moderate realising appeared and quotation declined to Rs. 2,235. Ordinary Shares were quoted at Rs. 414 Mill Shares were steady with scattered buying but the turnover remains restricted. Bombay Dyeings opened at Rs. 1,902 and improved to Rs. 1,906 while Kohinoor Shares opened at Rs. 631 and steadied at Rs. 635.

BULLION: Yesterday London Gold was unchanged at £8-8-0. Dollar Sterling Cross rate was 4.02 1/2 to 4.03 1/2 at London and 4.03 at New York. London Spot and Forward Silver quotations were unchanged at 23 1/2d. and New York Spot Silver was quoted at 44 3/4 cents. The local market opened quiet under encouraging war news but declined on heavy covering by recent sellers and prices partially recovered. Forward Silver opened at Rs. 130/4 and improved Rs. 131/4 while ready Silver was quoted at Rs. 132/4 Gold opened at Rs. 73/2 and improved to Rs. 73/7. The market is under the influence of European war news.

Later on the market was Steady Forward Silver after advancing to Rs. 131/10 steadied at Rs. 131/3 and Gold after improving to Rs. 73/9 closed at Rs. 73/6.

COTTON: The local Cotton Market opened steady to-day at Rs. 423 for July delivery and there was absence of any fresh buying. Yesterday's buyers came out with selling orders and prices sagged to Rs. 421/8. The market is sensitive and is inclined to await war news.

There was a steady flour of professional selling and July declined to Rs. 419/8. The market closed at 6 p.m. as under:—

ICC July	419	8	0
ICC September	433	0	0

PRODUCE: Groundnuts Bold ready Rs. 15 and Khandesh quality Rs. 15/9 Goa delivery Rs. 15/8. Castorseeds Madras Rs. 16/1. Linseed Bold Rs. 15/6 and Small Rs. 14/12. Wagon Condition Bold Rs. 13/2 and Small Rs 13/4. C. P. Linseed was quoted at Rs. 14/4. Tone Quiet. Restricted business.

COTTON PARITY: Indian Cotton July Contract is below New York July 480 cent points at Exchange rate 331.

COTTON ARRIVALS:—Khandesh 105, Berar 401, Dholeras 202, Broach 2500, Westerns 205, total 3413 Bales.

HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES.
Bombay, June 6.

	Hi.	Lo.	Close.
July	422/8	420/8	422/4
September	435/8	431/8	434/12

COTTON ROOM RATES
Bombay, June 7.

Jarilla Extra Spr-fine 435 Sup 425 Fine 415 F Good 405
Broach Extra Spr-fine 425 Sup 420 Fine F Good 410
Surti Extra Spr-fine 560 Sup 555 Fine 550 F Good 545
4 F Pun/American Extra Spr-fine 465 Sup 460 Fine 455 F Good 450
L S S Pun/American Extra Spr-fine 495 Sup 490 Fine 485 F Good 480
289 F Pun/American Extra Spr-fine 555 Sup 550 Fine 545 F Good 540
Saw-Gd 4 F Extra Spr-fine 495 Sup 490 Fine 485 F Good 480
Saw-Gd L S S Extra Spr-fine 540 Sup 535 Fine 530 F Good 425
Saw-Gd 289 F Extra Spr-fine 605 Sup 600 Fine 595 F Good 590
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READY COTTON QUOTATIONS
Bombay, June 7.

Khandesh Jarilla New 285/360
Berar Jarilla New 360/390
280 F Jarilla New 500/540
N T Jarilla New 460/480
289 F Saw-ginned New 580/605

N. Y. Cotton Market:—

Cotton opened easy and dropped a dollar to dollar fifty per bale after the invasion news on nervous liquidation, hedging and stoploss orders and then rallied on trade and New Orleans buying and covering with early liquidation less than anticipated, while the belief that the administration is not averse to ninety-five per cent parity loans was a stabilising feature. The market closed firm.

NEW YORK COTTON.
New York, June 6.

July 21.08+03, October 20.47+04, December 20.22+03, January 20.17+04, March 19.96+04, May 19.77+05, July Highest 21.10+05 (2-58 p.m.), Lowest 20.83—22 (10-51 a.m.), Middling Spot 22.03+03.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.
July 21.24+03, October 20.46—01, December 20.23—01, January 20.09—01, March 19.98—01, May 19.77—01, Middling Spot 21.10—.

NEW YORK COTTON.
July 20.90, October 20.31, December 20.07.

LONDON SILVER.
London, June 6.
Spot 23-1/2, Forward 23-1/2.

LONDON GOLD.
London, June 6.
London Gold Fine Per Oz £8.8.

LONDON EXCHANGES.
London, June 6.

T T London On: New York sellers 4.02-1/2, buyers 4.03-1/2 Madrid official 44.00, Montreal sellers 4.43, buyers 4.47, Zurich sellers 17.3, buyers 17.4, Stockholm sellers 16.85, buyers 16.95.

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NOTICE

LEASE OF COTTON GINNING & PRESSING FACTORIES

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E. RADBONE,
Custodian of Enemy Property, Bombay.
3rd June, 1944. 9094

NOTICE

WANTED IN SIMLA: Deputy Art Executive for the art studio of this Department. Applicant should have previous Commercial Advertising experience and be familiar with publicity layouts, artwork, designing, reproduction etc., pay Rs. 450 in the scale of Rs. 450-25-600. Applications together with copies of testimonials, specimens of work and details of experience should reach the Under-Secretary Department of Information and Broadcasting Railway Board Building Simla, not later than the 20th June 1944. 9124

PUBLIC NOTICES

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NOTICE

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Applications stating name in full, qualifications, place of domicile, date of birth, previous experience, etc., should be forwarded to THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY, POONA, not later than 10th July, 1944. 9129

INDIAN ORDNANCE FACTORIES

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Candidates must be prepared to take up employment in Kirkee or elsewhere in India.

2. Applications should be sent by post to the Director of Factory Recruitment, 30, Park Street Calcutta, so as to reach him by the 15th June, 1944, envelopes being superscribed "SUPERVISOR TRAINEE".

3. Originals of testimonials should not be sent.

4. No correspondence can be entered into in regard to applications.

5. Canvassing in any form will entail disqualification.

K. L. KAPUR, P.C.S.
Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of India.
Department of Supply,
Calcutta.
(9089)

NOTICE

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Applications stating name, domicile, date of birth, qualifications and experience should reach the Officer in charge, Plague Recrudescence Inquiry C|o Director, Haffkine Institute, Parel, Bombay No. 12, not later than 25th June 1944. 9127

NOTICE TO DRIVERS

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E. SHEEHY
Dy. Commissioner of Police,
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE

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REGISTRAR,
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(9092)

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NOTICE

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